Subject No. 436
Acquisition of land of Munisvaragudi Kaval.

Summary of discussion.—The demand for building sites is very great. There being no land available at Hunsur, some may be acquired from the Public Cattle Department out of Munisvaragudi kaval for the extension of the town.

Reply of Government.—Government will enquire into the matter and, if necessary, endeavour to get the land required.

Subject No. 437
Bengar wet assessment on certain lands.

Summary of discussion.—Some lands on the banks of the Kapila river have been classed as Bengar and assessed at the rate of from one to two rupees per acre. But neither dry nor wet crops can be raised on them except in years of heavy rainfall. Either the assessment may be revised and reduced to dry rates or water may be pumped up from the river and supplied to these lands.

Reply of Government.—The request cannot be complied with. The classification was made after the usual investigation.

Subject No. 438
Repairs of certain temples.

Summary of discussion.—The temples of Basavesvara in Maggi and Gopalaswami in Malali are in a state of disrepair. The former will be repaired by the people interested in it, if Government should grant them teakwood, &c., free of cost. For the repair of the latter which is likely to cost Rs. 4,000, a contribution of Rs. 1,000 will be raised if the balance be borne by Government. As the temples are under Muzrai Department, a favorable consideration of the proposal is solicited.

Reply of Government.—Referred to the Muzrai Department for enquiry and needful action.

Subject No. 439
Grant of lands to Entahalli raiyats.

Summary of discussion.—The Entahalli raiyats depend entirely upon rain for wet cultivation. The Bavali anicut is a project submitted for consideration chiefly on their account. These villagers have not enough of land for cultivation and pasturage. A good portion of the land formerly available to them for cultivation, was included in the State Forest during the Survey Settlement. It is prayed therefore that lands within a radius of 2 miles from their villages may be granted from the State Forest for their benefit.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Deputy Commissioner for investigation and report through Conservator of Forests.

Subject No. 440
Chattram on the Himavat Gopalaswami Hills.

Summary of discussion.—The construction of a chattram for the accommodation of pilgrims on the Himavat Gopalaswami Hills was prayed for in the year 1894, and the matter was discussed by the Local Fund Board in 1896. Early orders solicited.

Reply of Government.—This has been sanctioned from Local Funds General, and the work is under execution.